

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

KUPAA KEA,

Plaintiff,

v.

WASHOE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE,
et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:22-cv-00120-MMD-CSD

ORDER

I. DISCUSSION

This action is a *pro se* civil rights complaint filed pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983 by an individual who has been released from the custody of the Nevada Department of Corrections. On March 7, 2022, Plaintiff submitted an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* for prisoners. (ECF No. 1). On March 10, 2022, Plaintiff filed a notice of change of address. (ECF No. 6). The Court now directs Plaintiff to file an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a non-prisoner on or before **April 13, 2022** or pay the full filing fee of \$402. The Court will retain Plaintiff's civil rights complaint (ECF No. 1-1) but will not file it until the matter of the payment of the filing fee is resolved.

II. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, IT IS ORDERED that Plaintiff's application to proceed *in forma pauperis* for prisoners (ECF No. 1) is denied as moot.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court will send Plaintiff the approved form application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a non-prisoner, as well as the document entitled information and instructions for filing an *in forma pauperis* application.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that on or before **April 13, 2022**, Plaintiff shall either: (1) file a fully complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a non-prisoner; or (2) pay the full filing fee of \$402.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if Plaintiff does not timely comply with this order, this case will be subject to dismissal without prejudice for Plaintiff to file a new case with

1 the Court when Plaintiff is either able to file a fully complete application to proceed *in*
2 *forma pauperis* by a non-prisoner or pays the full \$402 filing fee.

3 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall retain the complaint
4 (ECF No. 1-1) but shall not file it at this time.

5 DATED: March 15, 2022

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